(*b*) if so—

(i) for what offence;

(ii) who conducted the enquiry;

(iii) when did the enquiry begin and end;

(iv) the punishment given;

(v) when was the punishment order given effect to?

A.—**Sri H. SIDDAIYA** (Minister for Revenue and Excise).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) (i) (1) Patel of Beedikere Village for temporary misappropriation.

(2) Patel of Kodigehalli for unauthorised cutting of a Government tree.

(ii) (1) In respect of Patel of Beedikere Village, both Sub-Division Officer and Amildar.

(2) Amildar only in respect of Patel of Kodigehalli.

(iii) (1) 9-12-1949 (2) 19-3-1949
9-3-1950 19-8-1949

(iv) (1) Patel of Beedikere suspended for one year and five months.

(2) Patel of Kodigehalli is fined Rs. 50 in addition to the payment of the value of tree, *viz.*, Rs. 25.

(v) After the completion of the enquiry.

Retrenchments in Departments.

Q.—3. **Sri S. KARIAPPA** (Bangalore District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the Departments in which hands are being retrenched;

(*b*) the number of hands retrenched in each of those Departments?

A.—**Sri H. C. DASAPPA** (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

(*a*) Such retrenchments have not yet been effected.

(*b*) Does not arise.

Work assigned to Food Production Commissioner.

Q.—**4. Sri S. KARIAPPA** (Bangalore District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the nature of the work assigned to the Food Production Commissioner;

(*b*) the nature of co-ordination and co-operation existing between this officer and the Departments of Agriculture and Engineering;

(*c*) the amount, if any, placed at the disposal of the Food Production Commissioner;

(*d*) the amount allotted for various schemes in connection with food self-sufficiency aimed at by 1951?

A.—**Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

(*a*) and (*b*) The main items of work assigned to the Commissioner for Food Production are as follows:—

(i) He is entrusted with the work of implementing the various schemes drawn up for increasing food production in the State.

(ii) He acts as a Liaison Officer between the Government of India and the State Government in respect of Food Production Schemes.

(iii) He is in direct charge of procurement and distribution of improved seeds, manures and agricultural implements.

(iv) He is in charge of the entire Tractor Organisation in the State.

(v) He is the co-ordinating authority between the several Heads of Departments and the Government on the one hand, and between the raiyats and the Heads of Departments on the other, so that the difficulties of the raiyats are placed before the Heads of departments concerned for finding an immediate remedy. If the difficulty is such that it requires the intervention of more than one department, immediate action is taken to co-ordinate the efforts of all the departments concerned and finding a solution to solve the difficulties of the raiyats.

(*c*) Rs. 66,53,404.

(*d*) *Vide* Statement printed below.

Three-year Food Production Plan—Schemes eligible for Grants from the Government of India.

Sl. No.	Name of the scheme	Total cost	Cost recoverable	Net cost	Government of India's share	Provincial Government's share
	INTENSIVE CULTIVATION (WORKS) SCHEME.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	s.
1	Subsidy for the construction of irrigation wells ...	45,00,000	22,50,000	22,50,000	11,25,000	33,75,000
2	Lift Irrigation in River Valleys	46,50,000	...	46,50,000	10,53,200	35,96,800
3	Construction of Big Tanks to be completed before 1951 ...	65,00,000	36,00,000	29,00,000	14,50,000	50,50,000
4	Improvement of River Channels	80,00,000	...	80,00,000	40,00,000	10,00,000
5	Restoration of Minor Tanks	45,00,000	13,50,000	31,50,000	11,25,000	33,75,0.0
	Do (desilting)	15,00,000	...	15,00,000	7,50,000	7,50,000
6	Land Improvement schemes	30,00,000	...	30,00,000	15,00,000	15,00,000
	Total ...	3,26,50,000	72,00,000	2,54,50,000	1,10,03 200	2,16,46,800
	INTENSIVE CULTIVATION (SUPPLY) SCHEMES.					
7	Multiplication of improved varieties of paddy seeds ...	6,01,500	1,72,326	4,29,174	1,20,300	4,81,200
8	Distribution of improved varieties of paddy seeds ...	43,83,750	36,96,000	6,87,750	3,43,875	40,39,875
9	Multiplication and distribution of Green Manure seeds ...	12,50,000	5,00,000	7,50,000	3,75,000	8,75,000
10	Scheme for the manufacture and distribution of urban and rural compost through Town Municipalities and Village Panchayets.	9,87,590	...	9,87,590	4,93,795	4,83,795
11	Establishment of the Deputy Director of Agriculture at Headquarters for G.M.F. Works.	1,89,288	...	1,89,286	94,644	94,644
	Total ...	74,12,128	43,68,326	30;43,802	14,27,614	59,84,514
	INTENSIVE CULTIVATION (SERVICE) SCHEMES.					
12	Establishment of the statistician for Grow More Food Works.	3,48,900	...	3,48,900	75,303	2,73,597
	INTENSIVE CULTIVATION (MISCELLANEOUS) SCHEMES.					
13	Protective measures against pests and diseases ...	4,70,000	...	4,70,000	2,35,000	2,35,000
	Total ...	4,08,81,028	1,15,68,326	2,93,12,702	1,27,41,117	2,31,39,911

Schemes to be sanctioned by the State Government.

Sl. No.	Name of the scheme	Total cost	Cost recoverable	Net cost	Government of India's share	Provincial Government's share
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	INTENSIVE CULTIVATION (WORKS) SCHEME.					
1	Purchase of Electric pumps, diesel sets and persian wheels	93,60,000	93,60,000	...	...	93,60,000
2	Supply of Electricity to pumping sets	45,00,000	...	45,00,000	...	45,00,000
3	Loans for bringing current fallows under cultivation ...	40,00,000	40,00,000	...	...	40,00,000
	SUPPLY SCHEMES.					
4	Preparation and distribution of manure mixture containing G. N. C. Supers and Ammonium Sulphate.	2,58,21,570	2,34,81,570	...	...	2,58,21,570 Out of this amount only Rs. 86,07,190 is required each year.
	Transport and Incidental charges	...	...	23,40,000	...	...
	SERVICE SCHEMES.					
5	Establishment of the Commissioner for Food Production ...	4,00,000	...	4,00,000	...	4,00,000
6	Maintenance of Tractor Organisation and service ...	43,01,853	12,12,000	20,89,853	...	43,01,853
	MISCELLANEOUS SCHEMES.					
7	Supply of iron and steel for agricultural implements ...	68,30,550	68,30,550	...	...	68,30.550 Out of this only Rs. 17,30,750 is required each year.
	Total ...	5,52,13,973	4,48,84,130	1,03,29,853	...	55,21,39,731
	Grand Total ...	9,60,95,001	5,64,52,446	3,96,42,555	1,27,41,117	8,33,53,884